



UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

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PUBLIC NOTICE

RE: REVISED INFORMATION REGARDING THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION/PUBLIC COUNSEL BANKRUPTCY PRO BONO PROGRAM

The Los Angeles County Bar Association, in conjunction with Public Counsel, has implemented a Bankruptcy Pro Bono Program in the Los Angeles and San Fernando Valley divisions. Currently, this program is available only for defendants in § 523 non-dischargeability adversary proceedings who cannot afford an attorney. If the defendant cannot afford an attorney, he or she may apply for free legal representation with Public Counsel. All applicants will first be screened for eligibility. If found eligible, an attorney may be found who will represent the applicant in the § 523 non-dischargeability adversary proceeding free of charge.

To apply for legal representation under this program or for additional information, please contact Public Counsel. For contact information, please see the "Notice to Defendants of Availability of Los Angeles County Bar Association/Public Council Bankruptcy Pro Bono Program." The most current version of this notice can be obtained from our web site at www.cacb.uscourts.gov. To access the notice, double click on the "Pro Bono Program" button on the left-hand side of our web site. Then select the file named **DAP.PDF**. **Do not contact the Clerk's Office for information regarding your eligibility for this program.**

Plaintiffs in § 523 non-dischargeability adversary proceedings filed in the Los Angeles and San Fernando Valley divisions will be required to serve a notice of the availability of the above program on the defendants along with the Summons and Notice of Status Conference and to provide proof of such service with the Court. A sample of the notice of the availability of the program is attached to this Public Notice.

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